



**Sunday, March 2 - Saturday, March 8, 2014**

## Construction Overview

- **NORTHBOUND I-5 - NIGHTTIME FULL-FREEWAY CLOSURE RESCHEDULED DUE TO RAIN:**

The nighttime full closure of the northbound I-5 freeway at Ortega Highway originally scheduled for Friday, February 28 and Saturday, March 1 is canceled due to rain in this weekend's forecast.

The northbound closure will resume on Friday, March 7 and Saturday, March 8. Crews will fully close the northbound I-5 freeway between 11:59 p.m. and 6 a.m.

**DETOUR:** From the northbound I-5, exit Ortega Highway. Proceed through the intersection and re-enter the freeway on the immediate Ortega Highway on-ramp to the northbound I-5.

The nighttime full-freeway closures will resume on Friday March 7 and Saturday, March 8 and will continue on Friday, March 14 and Saturday, March 15. These closures are necessary for crews to remove falsework from the south half of the Ortega Highway bridge over the I-5 freeway. After crews remove falsework over the northbound I-5, they will proceed to the southbound I-5, both sides of the freeway will not close simultaneously.

*It is possible that an additional weekend may be needed to remove falsework, if so, the full-freeway closures will resume on Friday, March 28 after Swallow's Day weekend.*

- Pile driving on the I-5 southbound off-ramp at Ortega Highway will begin the first week of March. This activity will take place on weekdays between 6:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Pile driving is necessary to reconstruct the off-ramp and will last intermittently for approximately one month. *Please be advised that this activity may be loud and disruptive due to vibration and pounding.*

# Scheduled Closures & Detours

Regularly scheduled nighttime closure(s) from Sunday, March 2 through Saturday, March 8 include:

## Full Closures:

- **Northbound I-5 freeway at Ortega Highway closed**
  - Freeway closed Friday, 3/7 and Saturday, 3/8 between 11:59 p.m. and 6 a.m.
- **Ortega Highway between Rancho Viejo Road and Del Obispo Street**
  - Road closed Friday, 3/7 and Saturday, 3/8 between 11:59 p.m. and 6 a.m.

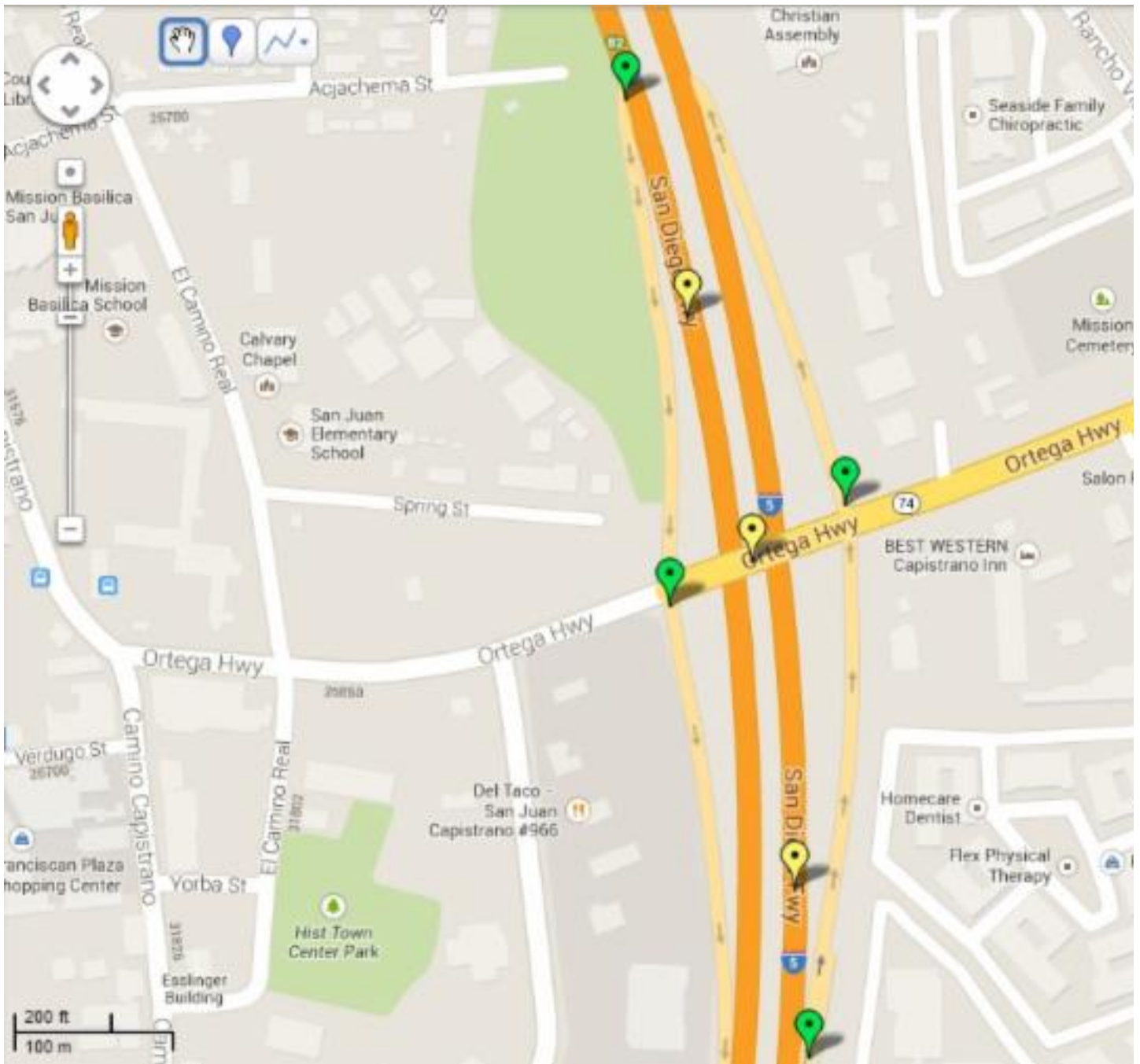
## Ramp Closures:

- **Northbound I-5 off-ramp to Ortega Highway (SR-74) closed**
  - Ramp closed nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 on-ramp from Ortega Highway (SR-74) closed**
  - Ramp closed nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 off-ramp to Ortega Highway (SR-74) closed**
  - Ramp closed nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 on-ramp from Ortega Highway (SR-74) closed**
  - Ramp closed nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.

## Lane Closures:

- **Northbound I-5 freeway between Camino Capistrano and Junipero Serra Road**
  - Lane closures nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 freeway between Junipero Serra Road and Camino Capistrano**
  - Lane closures nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Eastbound Ortega Highway (SR-74) between Del Obispo Street and Rancho Viejo Road**
  - Lane closures nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- **Westbound Ortega Highway (SR-74) between Rancho Viejo Road and Del Obispo Street**
  - Lane closures nightly, Tuesday through Thursday between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.

Click on the map below to see the full schedule of nightly closures and detours planned on the I-5 / Ortega Highway Interchange Improvement Project from Sunday, March 2 through Saturday, March 8, 2013.



[View Map](#)

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